

Welcome Home Group Meeting Format

Welcome everyone to the Welcome Home Group of Narcotics Anonymous. My name is _____ and I am an addict. We will open the meeting with the Serenity Prayer.

This is a non-smoking meeting. If you smoke, please do so outside and use the ashtrays provided. Can we have two volunteers to make sure the sidewalk is clean after the meeting?

All parents with children are welcome to this group, but please remember that this is a life and death situation. We must ask parents to keep their children with them at all times so that we may maintain an atmosphere of recovery. If your children become disorderly, please accompany them out into the hall.

Can Someone Please Read:

- Who Is An Addict?
- Why Are We Here?
- What Is The Narcotics Anonymous Program?
- How It Works?
- The Twelve Traditions of NA

The Format for this Meeting is as Follows:

Week 1: Step

Week 2: Tradition

Week 3: God As I Understand Him

Week 4: Ask It Basket

Week 5: NA Approved Literature / Pamphlet *

Read all steps and traditions from the BASIC TEXT.

*Chairperson may choose the material to be read

THIS IS YOUR PART OF THE MEETING. WE ASK THAT YOU LIMIT YOUR SHARING TO 5 MINUTES OR LESS SO EVERYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO SHARE HAS THE CHANCE. OUT OF RESPECT TO THE GROUP WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE REFRAIN FROM USING PROFANITY DURING THIS MEETING. THE FLOOR IS NOW OPEN.

8:40- We have a seventh tradition which states that every NA group should be fully self supporting declining outside contributions. Please observe a moment of silence while the basket is passed. We have asked _____ to read today's passage in JUST FOR TODAY.

-Is this anyone's first NA meeting? First time here?

-We celebrate anniversaries at the Welcome Home Group. Has anyone in the past week celebrated:

30 days... 60 days... 90 days... 6 months... 9 months... 1 year... 18 months... multiples of years?

Is anyone celebrating 1 to 29 days?

Will anyone with a year or more clean time in the program raise his or her hand to show that NA works.

WE ALL HAVE TODAY!

Are there any NA related announcements from the floor?

The Business and Group Conscience meeting for this group is held on the Friday before the last Sunday of each month immediately following the meeting. All are welcome. Please come and get involved in NA service.

There is literature and printed NA announcements on the table for the taking. This group also has the following NA literature for sale:

Basic Text, It Works How & Why, Just for Today, and the NA Step Working Guide. If you want to purchase literature, please see one of our home group members after the meeting. Will home group members please raise their hand?

The meeting is resumed. Again, please try to limit your sharing to 5 minutes.

9:10- Thank you everyone for sharing. Please remember that there are 3 parts to every meeting: before, during and after. If you did not get a chance to share, please get with someone after the meeting

-DON'T TAKE IT WITH YOU!

Will someone please read JUST FOR TODAY?

Close the meeting with:

-Third Step Prayer